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Request For Continued Examination (RCE) Transmittal

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Application Number	09/527,188
Filing Date	03/17/2000
First Named Inventor	David M. Greschler
Art Unit	3633-2157
Examiner Name	Lashonda T. Jacobs
Attorney Docket Number	111283.131 US1

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i. ☐ Consider the arguments in the Appeal Brief or Rely Brief previously filed on _____

ii. ☐ Other _____

b. ☒ Enclosed

i. ☒ Amendment/Reply

ii. ☐ Affidavit(s)/ Declaration(s)

iii. ☐ Information Disclosure Statement (IDS)

iv. ☐ Other _____

2. Miscellaneous

a. ☐ Suspension of action on the above-identified application is requested under 37 CFR 1.103(c) for a period of _____ months. (Period of suspension shall not exceed 3 months; Fee under 37 CFR 1.17(i) required)

b. ☐ Other _____

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The RCE fee under 37 CFR 1.17(e) is required by 37 CFR 1.114 when the RCE is filed.

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i. ☒ RCE fee required under 37 CFR 1.17(e)

ii. ☐ Extension of time fee (37 CFR 1.136 and 1.17)

iii. ☐ Other _____

b. ☐ Check in the amount of \$ _____ enclosed

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Name (Print/Type)	Monica Grewal	Registration No. (Attorney/Agent)	40,056
Signature	<i>Monica Grewal</i>	Date	09/15/2004

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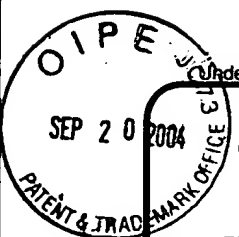
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Effective 10/01/2003. Patent fees are subject to annual revision.

☒ Applicant claims small entity status. See 37 CFR 1.27

TOTAL AMOUNT OF PAYMENT (\$) 385.00

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FEE CALCULATION

1. BASIC FILING FEE

Large Entity	Small Entity	Fee Code	Fee (\$)	Fee Description	Fee Paid
		1001	770	Utility filing fee	
		1002	340	Design filing fee	
		1003	530	Plant filing fee	
		1004	770	Reissue filing fee	
		1005	160	Provisional filing fee	
SUBTOTAL (1)					(\$)
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2. EXTRA CLAIM FEES FOR UTILITY AND REISSUE

Total Claims: -20** = X =
Independent Claims: -3** = X =
Multiple Dependent: =

Large Entity	Small Entity	Fee Code	Fee (\$)	Fee Description
		1202	18	Claims in excess of 20
		1201	86	Independent claims in excess of 3
		1203	290	Multiple dependent claim, if not paid
		1204	86	** Reissue independent claims over original patent
		1205	18	** Reissue claims in excess of 20 and over original patent
SUBTOTAL (2)				

**or number previously paid, if greater. For Reissues, see above

FEE CALCULATION (continued)

3. ADDITIONAL FEES

Large Entity	Small Entity	Fee Code	Fee (\$)	Fee Description
		1051	130	2051 65 Surcharge - late filing fee or oath
		1052	50	2052 25 Surcharge - late provisional filing fee or cover sheet
		1053	130	1053 130 Non-English specification
		1812	2,520	1812 2,520 For filing a request for ex parte reexamination
		1804	920*	1804 920* Requesting publication of SIR prior to Examiner action
		1805	1,840*	1805 1,840* Requesting publication of SIR after Examiner action
		1251	110	2251 55 Extension for reply within first month
		1252	420	2252 210 Extension for reply within second month
		1253	950	2253 475 Extension for reply within third month
		1254	1,480	2254 740 Extension for reply within fourth month
		1255	2,010	2255 1,005 Extension for reply within fifth month
		1401	330	2401 165 Notice of Appeal
		1402	330	2402 165 Filing a brief in support of an appeal
		1403	290	2403 145 Request for oral hearing
		1451	1,510	1451 1,510 Petition to institute a public use proceeding
		1452	110	2452 55 Petition to revive - unavoidable
		1453	1,330	2453 665 Petition to revive - unintentional
		1501	1,330	2501 665 Utility issue fee (or reissue)
		1502	480	2502 240 Design issue fee
		1503	640	2503 320 Plant issue fee
		1460	130	1460 130 Petitions to the Commissioner
		1807	50	1807 50 Processing fee under 37 CFR 1.17(q)
		1806	180	1806 180 Submission of Information Disclosure Stmt
		8021	40	8021 40 Recording each patent assignment per property (times number of properties)
		1809	770	2809 385 Filing a submission after final rejection (37 CFR 1.129(a))
		1810	770	2810 385 For each additional invention to be examined (37 CFR 1.129(b))
		1801	770	2801 385 Request for Continued Examination (RCE)
		1802	900	1802 900 Request for expedited examination of a design application

Other fee (specify)

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